Local Happenings

Phone 30 to report locals or bring them to our office See that all the local news gets in this column. Mrs. Calvin H. Robinson, local reporter.

"Bud" Guld has been sick.

Mrs. Lilly Gilliam is sick.

Mrs. Louvilla Moore has been sick.

The town council met Monday night.

William Burke was home the past week-end.

Joel W. Flood is spending this week in Richmond.

Mrs. W. L. Guld is outafter being sick this week.

J. C. Hall, of Radford, spent the week-end at his home here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnston, a baby boy, March 1.

Attend the community choir concert Friday night.

Witt Agee was in Richmond yesterday.

The high school is running on a rainy day schedule today.

The county board of supervisors will meet next wednesday.

George Abbott was in Buckingham Wednesday.

Dr. C. H. Swing and John Curtis Caldwell came home Sunday night from a visit to Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Smith, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Smith.

Calvin Minn, of Halifax, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall.

Charles James, of Altavista, spent Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs.C. F. James.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wagers and family, of Lynchburg, spent the week-end here.

Miss Frankie McKinney returned home Saturday after visiting in New York and Alexandria.

Miss Ilene Smith spent Sunday in Lynchburg with her sister, Mrs. Albert White.

W. H. Turner, of Petersburg was a week-end visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Doss

Miss Vay Abbott, of Norfolk, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burke.

Mrs. J. M. Rosser had as recent guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Adams of Phenix, Miss Madilim and Elizabeth Rosser, of Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon, of Bent Creek, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Inge.

G. F. Langrell returned Saturday from Texas, where he had been called on account of the illness and death of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A Ferguson, who have been spending the winter in Bluefield, have returned to their home at the old court house.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Thompson and Miss Gladys Inge attended a W. M. U. meeting at Charlotte court house Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S Starner and grandson, Verye Starner, of York Penn. were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis B. Winters.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Burke Tuesday evening were Misses Flora Williams, Kate Franklin, Dean Johns, Mary Taylor Gills and Mrs. Olabush.

Miss Hilda Moore, student at Randolph Macon Woman's College, will spend this week-end at her home here. She will have as her guest Miss Dorothy Bornhold, of Nour Rochelle, N. Y.

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$1.75--$1.98&$3.98
Our Grocery Department taking on new life with Specials every week.
Fresh Oysters and Fish

SPOUT SPRING

Spout Spring, March 7. There will be a minstrel here at the school on Saturday Night, March 10. This was postponed from last Saturday on account of bad weather. A large attendance is expected this time.

Lost 20 Lbs. of Fat In Just 4 Weeks

Mrs. Mae West of St. Louis, Mo., writes: "I'm only 28 years old and weighed 170 lbs. until taking one box of your Kruschen Salts just 4 weeks ago. I now weigh 150 lbs. I also have more energy and further-more I've never had a hungry moment."

Fat people should take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water every morning beforebreakfast - an 85 cent bottle lasts 4 weeks - you can get Kruschen at any drug store in America. If not joyfully satisfied after the first bottle - money back.

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Because of a unique process in manufacture, Genuine Bayer Aspirin Tablets are made to disintegrate — or disinte—INSTANTLY you take them. Thus they start to work instantly. Start "taking hold" of pain, of a severe headache, neuralgia, neuritis or rheumatic pain a few minutes after taking.

And they provide *SAFE* relief—for Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN does not harm the heart. So if you want QUICK and SAFE relief see that you get the real Bayer article. Always look for the Bayer cross on every tablet as illustrated, above, and for the words GENUINE BAYER ASPIRIN on every bottle or package. NRA

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The Car
Without a Price Class

HERE IS THE PROOF

Features of Ford V-8 for 1934 | *Found in no other car under—*

V-TYPE 8 CYLINDER ENGINE	$2395
STRADDLE-MOUNTED DRIVING PINION	2850
TORQUE-TUBE DRIVE	1125
4 FLOATING REAR AXLE	1345
WELDED STEEL SPOKE WHEELS	3200

—Other features of the Ford V-8 for 1934—

Extra Cost of Next Lowest Priced Car with Feature ↓	
Aluminum Cylinder Head (Standard Equipment)	$ 200
6.33 to 1 Compression Ratio (Standard Equipment)	250
15½ Gallon Cooling System	1060
Completely Water-Jacketed Cylinder and Crankcase	Exclusive on Ford
Twin Water Pumps	1800
Dual Intake Manifold	350
Dual Down-draft Carburetion	350
Tungsten Exhaust Valve Seat Inserts and Mushroom Ended Valves	Exclusive on Ford

STEP on the throttle until the speedometer says 80 or better. Loaf along at 50 or 60 with effortless smoothness. Sweep down a bumpy road in perfect comfort. Discover "the car without a price class"—the new Ford V-8

Here is a car that gives you 12% more power than last year's powerful model. Acceleration unsurpassed by *any other* American car. And even greater economy than last year's Ford.

The Ford V-8 for 1934 gives you the riding comfort of free action for all *four wheels*—with the safety of strong axle construction.

Before you buy *any* car at *any* price, see and drive the Ford V-8 for 1934.

SEE YOUR NEAREST FORD DEALER

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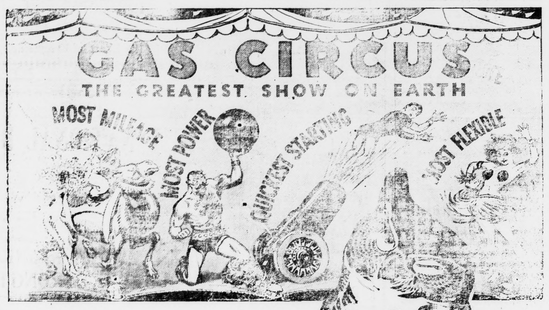
$515 and up—F.O.B. Detroit

Immediate Delivery—easy terms through Universal Credit Company—the Authorized Ford Finance Plan



Though others are inclined to boast
And flaunt their claims of "best" and "most"
The wise old owl says, "Bally-H-O-O!
"Just judge me, folks, by what I do."

Test Essolene in your own car . . . in your own way. Judge for yourself how much it adds to the comfort, the pleasure and the economy of motoring.

[Esso*lube Motor Oil in the crankcase enables Essolene to do its best]

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Get Your
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and Standard oil products
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A *good* Service Station

Doing a bigger and bigger Volume of business,

And One of the Reasons Why . . .

The H. M. Burge Co. Inc. Service Station at Appomattox does one of the largest service station businesses in this section. Under the able direction of G. L. Doss and Frank Cawthorn, it is steadily growing in trade.

Consider this: For Goodyear Tires and tubes, an advertising schedule has REGULARLY appeared in the TIMES VIRGINIAN for nearly 2 years. Not just once in awhile, but REGULARLY.

RESULT: Honors are won every year from the Goodyear Company for sales volume!

Further, ESSOLENE and other products sold at this station are advertised locally. Result: Sales!

Is it any wonder then, that the TIMES VIRGINIAN gets a letter saying this:

"Our campaign on Goodyear tires has been supported by regular ads in your paper. We have found that Goodyears have taken a commanding lead in the local market, and attribute much of our success with Goodyears to our regular use of the the home newspaper. Therefore we have just signed a contract to continue our Goodyear schedule for aon another year."

H. M. Burge

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A DEMOCRATIC WEEKLY FOR APPOMATTOX AND BUCKINGHAM COUNTIES

5 CENTS A COPY $1.50 PER YEAR APPOMATTOX, VIRGINIA. Thursday March 15, 1934 ESTABLISHED 1892.

Father DARKLEAF'S Column

THINGUMBORS: *** the first 1934 car license sold here went to L. H. Callahan *** guess who will be the last *** here's a cheerful thought *** ye editor man has friends and Mother Brightleaf *** for now in comes a nice dish of dinner from a subscriber who says she knows we're too busy on Thursday to cook *** yea bo *** they do say the orders call forfive coats of paint at the court house *** that's the spirit of spring *** E. T. Mitchell relates that a man inquired about the bill of fare at the jail recently and before nightfall was a prisoner there *** pays to advertise *** Mrs. Cheatham says announce herein that Charlie Brown has gotten so good at checkers that he can't find opposition *** well, here 'tis Mrs. Cheatham *** the legislature was in session until 2 a. m. Sunday morning, we hear *** but they kept moving the clock back to show something before 12 *** why do that, isn't Rev. Frec. Chenault in Danville *** Harry Floyd Byrd made his first major addition in the state this week *** he got peanuts listed as a basic commodity ** the Kingfish will be glad of that *** all the queens in a deck of cards have two eyes *** but see how many the Jacks and kings have *** here's lasting results from advertising: H. M. Burge claims he ran a classified ad in this paper in 1919 and this week a customer came in and said: "Don't blame the cow, etc" (see his repeat on it this week) *** come, come Mr. Burge that's better than our own sales talk! ***

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Now comes a yarn from "Dick" Lawson: He narrates that last Saturday night about midnight, Dottridge Martin called him to come over and help him kill a mouse!

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"Dick" claims that Dottridge had chunked sticks of wood at the critter for no killing how long, in vain. But with reenforcements in camp the mouse couldn't take it and gave up to sheer man-power.

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Both of you, go and read Robert Burns' delightful poem, "To A Mouse."

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Memorial Methodist Church
W. K. Cunningham, Pastor

Services for Sunday, March 18

9:15 A. M. Sunday School. C. W. Smith, supt.

11:00 A. M. Sermon by pastor. Theme: "The Cross Roads."

7:45 P. M. Young People's Anniversary Day. The pagaent, "Christ's Call to Youth" will be presented by the young people's division of the church. All will be welcome.

Liberty Baptist Church
Rev. W. M. Thompson, pastor

9:30 A. M. Graded Bible School. Classes for all.

11:00 A. M. Morning Worship with sermon by the pastor.

7:00 P. M. The B. Y. P. U's, Junior Senior and intermediate. Mrs. T. M' Trent, director. Room for all.

8:00 P. M Evening worship with sermon by the pastor.

Wednesday 37:45 P. M. Midweek service of social prayer and praise.

Auto tag sales start.

County News

Mrs. Virginia Greiver, of Chilhowie is visiting Mrs. C. B. Crute.

Miss Virginia Pierce has returned home from a visit to Richmond.

Miss Lillian Farber and Marion Dabney, of Lynchburg were guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Black last Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Tanner of Lynchburg was the recent guest of Mrs. T. N. Ransone.

W. M. U. Has Group Meeting

Many Attend Erom Here

There was an interesting W. M. U. group meeting at Spout Springs Tuesday of this week. Picnic lunches were eaten on the grounds. Mrs. Larsen, of Rice was the visiting speaker.

Those from here attending were: Mrs. Don Moses, Mrs. W. M. Thompson, Mrs. Helen Lawson, Mrs. Elisabeth Ford; Mrs. W. P. Gills; Mrs. T. W Odor, Mrs. W H. Morgan, Misses Gladys Inge; Louise Gills; Lucile Cralle.

Conference Report

Dr. T. R. Reaves, of Lynchburg presiding elder of this district of the Methodist conference, was here Wednesday and preached at the Memorial Methodist church.

His sermon subject was "Crowding Jesus Out."

A splendid quarterly report was made by the local church. Delegates to the district conference May 22 at Bethel church were named as follows: J. L. Burkey, Mrs. Lottie Bledsoe; Mrs. S. S Coffman.

Good Average

R. W. Babcock sold 940 pounds of tobacco this week for $313.15. The sale was made in Farmville. This is one of the best records of the season.

Coming Slowly

CWA work on the court house is proposing very slowly and there is some doubt that it can be completed in time for the regular April court term.

Five Living Generations

A case of five living generations in this county was called to our attention this week. They are:

Alexander Poe, 84 Mrs. Emma Wood, his daughter; Mrs. L. M. Guthrie, Mitchell Guthrie, Mitchell Guthrei Jr. the youngest of the group.

Training School Report

The agricultural chapter of the New Farmers of America of the Appomattox Training School according to R. Q. Lawing, agricultural instructor has closed a successful year in supervised farm practice programs, With $1.25 percent of programs competed, this represents thirteen boys out of a class of sixteen who made a total farm income of $532.20 with an average of $40.94.

Each boy kept an accurate record of all operations done in his program. While making the final check of all programs in class room it was clearly realized that the success of their training program depended largely upon their attendance and ability. The training carried out by the chapter was as follows:

20 1-2 acres of corn 2¾ acres tobacco; 3 acres wheat; 1 acre alfalfa; 249 broilers; 2 dairy cows.

Community Choir

The first public performance of the community choir was given last Friday night and was an enjoyable occosion. Miss Elsie Carter sang several selections; John Cunningham the Appomattox orchestra played.

At a meeting Monday of the executive committee it was decided to postpone the choir rehearsals until the middle of April or the first of May. Weather conditions have been most unfavorable.

Revive Golf Here?

A meeting is to be held Thursday night here in the interest of reviving the golf club now defunct.

Supervisors Hearing

The county board of supervisors met at the clerk's office Wednesday. After transacting routine business the board adjourned to meet again on March 28 at which time there will be a hearing on the proposed county budget.

Dr. Dudley Dead

It will be with regret that the people here hear of the death of Rev. Dr. Dudley, long a Baptist minister in Virginia.

Dr. Dudley and family once lived here.

Brown - Smith

Conrad R. Brown, Jr. and Miss Fannie Smith were married here this week by Rev. R. E. Redding.

SMOKERS BLAMED FOR FOREST FIRES

Forestry Official Gives Results of Inquiry.

Washington.—Smokers were held "the greatest single factor responsible for the unprecedented number of forest fires in the first spring," in a statement by George D. Pratt New York, president of the American Forestry association.

Exceeding the records of previous years in many states, Pratt said, the spring forest fires rendered hundreds of persons homeless and jobless, burned over hundreds of thousands of acres of forest land, valuable in timber and as recreational areas, and have destroyed the wild life of the woods.

"Is it necessary to admonish the guilty or beg for future carefulness from those who are held the greatest single menace to our countryside, now that the facts are before them?" Pratt asked.

He cited statistics to show smokers have been blamed for 50 per cent of the forest fires in New York, 38 per cent in New Hampshire, 37 per cent in Connecticut, 18 per cent in North Carolina, and 10 per cent in New Jersey. A large number of fires of unaccountable origin also were blamed by United States forest rangers as cigarette-caused cigars or cigars, Pratt added.

"In the state of Rhode Island, where over 60 per cent of all fires which burned at least one-eighth of the forest land area, have been attributed to carelessness, the disposal of burning tobacco in the wooded areas has been called the chief factor," he continued.

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. . . SUCCESSFUL HOMEMAKING

By GRACE VIALL GRAY

Pre-Leavened Flour Takes Guess-Work Out of Muffin Baking

Quick breads, of which muffins are a type, have an important place in our meals since they act as an emergency bread and are enjoyed by every families for their freshness and variety in flavor and texture.

Success with muffins as with any other quick breads depends largely upon the kind and amount of leavening agent used and the method of mixing. Accurate measurement and good material are necessary, with close attention to oven temperature.

To be wholesome, quick breads must be thoroughly baked and free from heaviness. Inasmuch as muffins depend for their success upon the kind and amount of leavening agent used, that should be of utmost importance to us in their making. And we can have good muffins every time we bake them if we use self-rising flour in making them.

Self-rising flour is pre-leavened flour. That is, it is flour to which the baking powder and salt have been added in the proper proportions. This combining of the main ingredients of muffins makes baking simpler and easier for us. A chemist, highly trained and experienced, does all the actual part of the work for us. All that we have to do is to add the egg or eggs, the milk, and the fat and then we have a good muffin batter.

Not only has the chemist done the accurate, difficult task for us by combining the flour and leavening in correct proportions, but under his direction the self-rising flour has been sifted and mixed together by machinery for 15 minutes, which means that we have our principal ingredients for baking powder and salt, sifted for us as we could never sift them ourselves. Because of this we get finer grained muffins.

I find it best to have a standard muffin recipe which can be used as a base for variations. If we master one good muffin recipe then we can make an endless variety of muffins. Such a recipe is as follows:

2 cups self-rising flour
1 egg
1 cup milk
4 tbsp. melted shortening

Sift and measure the flour. Add eggs, milk, melted and cooled shortening. Beat vigorously. Pour batter into well-greased muffin tins, half filling them, and bake in a hot oven (400 degrees F.) 18 to 20 minutes. This recipe makes 11 muffins.

Now you can take this foundation recipe and make blueberry or date muffins, poppy seed, chocolate or coconut muffins. And then there are cereal muffins, nut muffins, and french muffins, but I suggest you try some of the delicious muffins:

Date or Raisin Muffins.

The basic recipe with but three-fourths cupful of milk. Flour two tablespoons chopped and pitted dates or raisins and add to batter. If you prefer a sweeter date muffin add one-fourth cupful more sugar. For variety use half cupful finely chopped prunes and candied cherries may be added instead of the dates or raisins.

Coconut Muffins.

The basic recipe, omit shortening and use half cupful shredded coconut. These are best baked in tiny spread muffin tins so that you have a total of 24 small cakes.

Jam Muffins.

The basic recipe and stir in four tablespoons raspberry jam, strawberry jam or any other desired jam.

Poppy Seed Muffins.

The basic recipe and sprinkle poppy seeds over the top.

Household Science Institute

Farm Activity Loans Are Available; Two Local Men on Board

R. Marks, D. W. Dinkins and County Agent Have Blanks

It was John Oliver La Gorce who, on his last trip to New York, told about "Old Bow." He had been fishing and on this trip heard the story.

Bartletts Harbor nestles on the shore of Lake Ontario, across from the tenth of the 30 Lawrence and the Thousand Islands. Here, on July 12, was fought the first battle of the War of 1812. The British attacked from the water with five ships, the largest of which was the Royal George, carrying twenty-four guns and 200 men. The other four ships carried eighty guns.

The defenders on shore had only one gun. They called it "Old Sow." It was a thirty-two pounder, and had proved to be too big for a small Yankee schooner, so it had been brought ashore and left for months in the sand. But, when it looked as if it might be needed for defense, Colonel Fenton mounted it in a field facing the water.

There was no dearth of powder, but the cannon balls on hand were inadequate for a twenty-four instead of a thirty-two pound gun. This was like using only 22-caliber cartridges for a rifle. Scrollett, but the old innkeeper of Bartletts Harbor were a resourceful lot. They wrapped the iron balls in pieces of carpet, which were up for the purpose, and in they were able to fire them.

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Local Farmers are In Lynchburg District

Farmers in the Lynchburg territory may obtain loans for the purpose of farming activity from the production credit association it was disclosed this week.

The board of directors of the Lynchburg office has already approved many loans and is prepared to aid others who can offer the required security.

On the board are D. W. Dinkins and J. R. Marks from this county.

Buckingham county loans will be handled through the Farmville office it was told this week.

County agents have application blanks for the loans.

What? No Surrender?

According to J. A. Burke, local superintendent of schools, Lee did not "surrender at Appomattox at all;

"It was just a gentlemen's agreement to stop fighting," he says.

Furthermore, there was a fullfledged battle here — a battle of arms and a battle of emotions.

Mr. Burke spoke before the Fort Hill club in Lynchburg, Wednesday of this week, and, gave them some new light on history.

On Sale Here

New automobile license tags are now on sale. March 15 to April 1 is the period set aside for the purchase of the new tags.

Due to action of the legislature, there has been considerable reduction in license costs.

C. S. McDearmon will again handle the sale here.

Vera Contest

Twenty- two entries have been received for the music contest to be held at the Vera school Saturday night, according to statement made to us today.

Young Bobby Mitchell will be on the program with several songs.

CONCORD

The community league met at the school last Tuesday.

Miss Katherine Stuart, of Altavista was the week-end guest of Mrs. L. B. Franklin.

CWA work has been renewed on the school grounds here.

Mrs. W. J. Wilkerson spent the week-end in Lynchburg.

L. F. Schmidt spent the week-end with his family here.

PAMPLIN

The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Forest Meade. She leaves several children and grand children. She was 85 years of age.

Mrs. T. E. Richardson died at her home here last Tuesday. She was buried at Piney Ridge M. E. church.

The regular monthly meeting of the woman's missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Taylor Inge on Wednesday. Those taking part on the program were: Mrs. Inge, Mrs. W. E. Brightwell, Mrs W B Black, Mrs. H. T. Terry. The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Mamie Inge in serving a salad course.

Move to install police cars with radio in Virginia.

WHERE THE BURDEN IS HEAVIEST

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